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DECISION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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Appeal Number: 16IWDUI128

OC: 1/3/16

Claimant: Appellant (6)

This Decision Shall Become Final, unless within fifteen (15) days from the date below, you or any interested party appeal to the Employment Appeal Board by submitting either a signed letter or a signed Notice of Appeal, directly to the ***Employment Appeal Board, 4TH Floor Lucas Building, Des Moines, Iowa 50319.***

The appeal period will be extended to the next business day if the last day to appeal falls on a weekend or a legal holiday.

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1. The name, address and social security number of the claimant.
2. A reference to the decision from which the appeal is taken.
3. That an appeal from such decision is being made and such appeal is signed.
4. The grounds upon which such appeal is based.

YOU MAY REPRESENT yourself in this appeal or you may obtain a lawyer or other interested party to do so provided there is no expense to the department. If you wish to be represented by a lawyer, you may obtain the services of either a private attorney or one whose services are paid for with public funds. It is important that you file your claim as directed, while this appeal is pending, to protect your continuing right to benefits.

(Administrative Law Judge)

April 28, 2016

(Decision Dated & Mailed)

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Robert Oakes filed an appeal from a decision issued by Iowa Workforce Development (the Department) dated March 16, 2016 (reference 01). In this decision, the Department determined that Oakes was ineligible to receive unemployment insurance benefits effective March 13, 2016 because he failed to report for a reemployment and eligibility assessment.

The case was transmitted from Workforce Development to the Department of Inspections and Appeals on April 13, 2016 and a hearing was scheduled for May 20, 2016. Prior to the hearing, the Department issued a decision dated April 18, 2016 reinstating Oakes' eligibility for unemployment insurance benefits effective March 13, 2016, provided he meets the other eligibility requirements.

The Department's most recent action has made the Appellant's case moot as the decision he appealed has been reversed.

DECISION

The Appellant's appeal is dismissed as moot. The Department has amended its decision to reverse the disqualification imposed by its March 16, 2016 decision.

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